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**"AN ACT CONCERNING JURISDICTION OF MUNICIPAL INLAND
WETLANDS COMMISSIONS."**

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. Section 22a-41 of the general statutes is amended by
4 adding subsections (c) and (d) as follows (*Effective from passage*):

5 (NEW) (c) For purposes of this section, (1) "wetlands or
6 watercourses" includes aquatic, plant or animal life and habitats in
7 wetlands or watercourses, and (2) "habitats" means areas or
8 environments in which an organism or biological population normally
9 lives or occurs.

10 (NEW) (d) A municipal inland wetlands agency shall not deny or
11 condition an application for a regulated activity in an area outside
12 wetlands or watercourses on the basis of an impact or effect on aquatic,
13 plant, or animal life unless such activity will have a likely impact or

14 effect on the physical characteristics of such wetlands or
15 watercourses."

This act shall take effect as follows:	
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>